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ERDA FOR BECKJORD, MORABITO, HELFRICH, VANDERRYN

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: TECH, JA
SUBJECT: PNC COLLABORATION ON LARGE EM PUMP TEST

REF: A) STATE 109310, B) MAY 25 TELECON MORABITO-HENoch

1. PER REFS A&B ERDA REP CONTACTED PNC BOTH BY LETTER AND INFORMALLY RAISING QUESTION OF POSSIBLE PNC INTEREST IN TESTING 14500 GPM FFTF EM PUMP.
2. PNC VERY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT POSSIBLE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM SUCH AS PROPOSED BY ERDA BUT LACKS CAPABILITY TO TEST PUMP OF THIS WEIGHT, DIMENSIONS, CHARACTERISTICS.
3. PNC INDICATED PRIOR APPROACH HAD BEEN MADE BY GE ROUGHLY TWO MONTHS AGO TO WHICH PNC RESPONDED VERY POSITIVELY REQUESTING DETAILS OF PUMP DIMENSIONS, CHARACTERISTICS, DESIRED TEST PROGRAM, ETC. UPON RECEIVING DRAWINGS, PIPING LAYOUTS, ETC FROM GE, PNC REVIEWED EXISTING FACILITY CAPABILITIES AND ASCERTAINED CURRENT SITUATION HOPELESS. EXISTING PUMP TEST FACILITY WOULD REQUIRE COMPLETELY NEW FOUNDATION, LARGER
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BUILDING WITH HIGHER CLEARANCE. TEST CAPABILITY OF PRESENT PUMP TEST FACILITY COULD ONLY TAKE FFTF PUMP UP TO 30 PERCENT FULL FLOW. PNC DECIDED NEW FACILITY CHEAPER AND EASIER THAN ATTEMPTING REMODEL EXISTING ONE.

4. PNC, MOCHIZUKI PARTICULARLY, AGREES MOST ENTHUSIASTICALLY WITH PROGRAMMATIC DESIRABILITY TEST BIG SODIUM PUMP BUT UNABLE

TO FIND SUFFICIENT FUNDING FOR REQUIRED FACILITY.

6. SUGGEST EITHER PNC, ERD OR MAYBE GE CONTACT HITACHI-TOSHIBA (SINCE GE HAS LONG STANDING BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP) AND SEE IF THEY MIGHT BE INTERESTED. HAVE MENTIONED BUT NOT INVESTIGATED THIS IN ANY DEPTH WITH PNC BUT WOULD BE HAPPY TO CHECK WITH INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS IF ERDA DESIRES.
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